



Human Resources Department

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**WATER DISTRIBUTION TECHNICIAN or UTILITY WORKER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

SALARY RANGE: **Water Distribution Technician:** \$19.70 - \$26.40 per hour

Utility Worker: \$16.32-\$21.86 per hour

CLOSING DATE: February 29, 2016

The City of Beaverton is recruiting for an individual to fill a vacant Water Distribution Technician position or a Utility Worker position, depending on qualifications.

ABOUT THE JOB:

Operate, maintain and repair the city water distribution system.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS OF THE JOB:

- Maintain, repair, disinfect and replace distribution lines including main and service lines;
- Replace meters, meter boxes, verify pressure, develop and initiate leak detection strategies, operate correlation equipment;
- Perform system flushing, exercise valves, and maintain/repair or replace hydrants;
- Take routine water samples throughout the city and deliver to testing laboratory;
- Set up safe work zones including traffic controls, shoring and confined space entry;
- Ability to perform critical infrastructure assessment and document using asset management system for future system master planning;
- Operate heavy equipment such as vactors, loaders, backhoes, dump trucks, small power/hand tools and other equipment as assigned. Strong computer skills;
- Repair concrete curbs, sidewalks, driveways and landscapes after utility repairs;
- Provide excellence in internal and external customer service;
- Support and respect diversity in the workplace.

TO QUALIFY:

Requires a high school diploma or GED and three years' experience in operations and maintenance of class 1 or higher water distribution system or an equivalent

combination of education and experience. Oregon Health Division Water Distribution Operator 2 Certificate or higher preferable.

LICENSING REQUIRED:

- Commercial driver's license A with air brake endorsement required. Tanker endorsement by end of probation (6 months)
- CPR, First Aid certification and flagger training required within six months
- Must pass city physical exam and respirator fitness test
- Oregon Health Division Water Distribution 1 Certificate required or equivalent from another State that qualifies for reciprocity with Oregon.

UTILITY WORKER: Perform unskilled or semi-skilled manual labor tasks in the Water Distribution section. Operate related motorized small equipment or hand tools including trucks and light construction or maintenance equipment; set up traffic control for work crews; perform flagging functions; clean and maintain equipment and work storage areas.

Requires a high school diploma or GED and some experience in general construction and maintenance.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS/LICENSING:

- Requires a valid driver's license and the ability to meet the city's driving standards
- Flagger training required within three months

VETERANS' PREFERENCE:

Qualifying veterans and disabled veterans may obtain preference by submitting as verification of eligibility a copy of the Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214 or 215) or a letter from the US Department of Veteran's Affairs indicating receipt of a non-service connected pension. Disabled veterans must also submit a copy of their veteran's disability preference letter from the Department of Veteran Affairs, unless the information is included in the DD Form 214 or 215. Veterans' Preference documentation must be submitted with your application.

HOW TO APPLY: All interested individuals may apply by submitting a City of Beaverton application form to the Human Resources Department, Beaverton City Hall, 12725 SW Griffith Drive, Beaverton, OR 97005. Applications may be obtained on our website at www.BeavertonOregon.gov.